

Reverend Henry Marshall

Pastor and Founder
Lydia Baptist Church

Sunrise August 22, 1927 Sunset
December 23, 2013

Service

Monday-December 30, 2013 - 10:00 am

LYDIA BAPTIST CHURCH

397 Lyons Avenue Newark, New Jersey

Obituary

Reverend Henry Marshall was born on August 22, 1927 in Albany, Georgia. He was the only child of the late Ms. Corinne Watkins.

He met the first lady and the love of his life, the late Mrs. Lorraine Marshall, and they married on October 21, 1961. They were happily married for over fifty years. What an amazing blessing. They had no children from that union, but the Lydia Baptist Church was their children.

He retired from Delavan Auto Body in Bloomfield, NJ around 2003. He took pride in the work he performed. He always gave his best.

Rev. as he was affectionately called, along with Sister Marshall was devoted members of Mars Hill Baptist Church. She served as an Usher and Secretary and he was ordained as a Deacon and then a Minister.

He founded Lydia Baptist Church on April 27, 1975 which was started in his home with only three paying members, as he would say. The church was then moved to the current location today. Rev. through GOD, his skills and hard labor has made Lydia Baptist Church what it is today, SOLID! He was so proud of how GOD has truly blessed Lydia. He was truly a man of GOD and taught us the word and drilled it in us.

Rev. led by example and would not ask you to do something that he wouldn't do. He always help out with everything in the church. He was the handyman at Lydia and proud of it. He truly showed us unconditional love all the time. He has been ministering for over forty years.

Rev. became ill later in his life and through his sickness as he was in and out of hospitals, he was still ministering wherever he was, either preaching or singing songs of praises. GOD called him home on December 23, 2013. As he waited patiently for the angels, I'm sure the Lord said, welcome home Reverend Marshall, my faithful servant. Well Done.

Reverend Marshall leaves, to cherish his memory and legacy, a host of relatives, friends and The Lydia Baptist Church family who will miss him dearly and deeply.

The Ordinal

(Order of Service and Celebration)

Processional

Prayer of Comfort	Reverend Garrett
Scripture Reading Old Testament Reading New Testament Reading	
Solo	Janaya Lee
Acknowledgement of Cards	Ini Ekanem
Solo	Reverend Cross
Reading of the Obituary	Ini Ekanem
Remarks & Reflections	(2 minutes please)
Solo	Nicole Lee
Eulogy	
Prayer	Pastor Byrd
Benediction	Reverend Garrett
Recessional	Congregation

<u>Interment</u>

Glendale Cemetery Bloomfield, New Jersey

Family and Friends are invited to the repast at Lydia Baptist Church 397 Lyons Avenue • Newark, New Jersey "If I can help somebody along the way, then my labor will not be in vain."





Acknowledgement

The church family of the late **Reverend Henry Marshall** wishes to acknowledge with sincere appreciation Every thought and act of kindness expressed to us during this hour of bereavement. We will always keep you in our prayers. May God continue to richly bless you.

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